

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

International Application of

WESTON

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PCT/GB99/03641

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VIDEO SIGNAL PROCESSING

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

BOX PCT
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Please amend the application as follows prior to calculation of the filing fees.

IN THE CLAIMS

Substitute the following claims for the corresponding numbered claims in the application.

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4. (Amended) A method according to Claim 2 in which a measure of global detail is derived by summing the local detail from one or both fields over all or a substantial part of the picture and all or a proportion of the global detail signal is used to correct the field difference signal.

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9. (Amended) A method according to Claim 7 in which a measure of global detail is derived by summing the local detail from one or both fields over all or a substantial part of the picture and all or a proportion of the global detail signal is used to correct the field difference signal.